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Sir:

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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR META-SHOPPING AND DYNAMIC SETUP OF
B2B eCOMMERCE**

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Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 16 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
- ☒ 17 Pages of Claims (Claims 1 - 96)
- ☒ 7 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Associate Power of Attorney
- ☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

CLAIMS AS FILED

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Total Claims	96	-20 =	76	X	\$ 18	=	\$1,368
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1. Transmittal Letter in duplicate;
2. Associate Power of Attorney;
3. Recordation in duplicate;
4. Assignment (2);
5. Declaration and Power of Attorney (1);
6. Patent Application (16 pgs. spec. & abstract, 17 pgs. Claims 1 - 96);
7. 7 pages of drawings; and
8. Two return postcards.